

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants : Cross, et al  
Title : Device for the Continuous Testing of Materials  
Application No. : 10/538597  
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Group Art Unit : Unknown  
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**STATUS INQUIRY**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

The above-referenced application was filed on June 9, 2005, and we have not yet received an Office Action or Notice of Allowance for the same. Please advise the undersigned when we should expect to receive an action or notice.

Respectfully submitted,

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